ead what Supt.
iment. It
or write.
C. C. R. Co.
Supt. KNIGHT
e horses of
o.'s stables
t had oste-
nent. Our
ourselves.
. S. Ex. Co.
orses in the State
using th
for horses,
s stands at
s, Greased
ores of ting
atisfaction
LOMIS.
m any cause, heal
k the horse every
ke out all inflam-
Liniment for
M.
, Scrofula, Scald
dy, Old Sores or
OTTLE.
TIER,
icago, Ill.
G BED!
TRY IT AND BE CONVINCED.
d make them perfectly
ing to each side
nce and leave on trial
Agent.
at in any way infringes
e Block.
TRAIN
ST!
r at - a m via the
IDLAND R'Y,
erre Haute at 12 50 p
ng with the
on the VANDALIA
t INDIANAPOLIS
K and CITIES EA T
Hours Sooner
e at Union Depot and
ER, Traffic Manager.
SALE.
committee of the Ma-
pervisors are authoriz-
s for the purchase of
imilarly known as the
CITY CALABOOSE,"
t corner of West Wood
the city of Decatur.
be sold part cash, the
y approved security.
ed to the committee
urt house The com-
t to reject any and all
. A. VANLEAR,
IRAM WARD,
C EDGAR,
Committee
eam Parlor.
nnection with our res-
arlor, where ladies and
s with ice cream, lem-
ty and style equal to
am by the gallon at
BOYD BROS.,
South of Court House.
L,
X, Proprietor,
are, Decatur, Illinois.

Decatur Daily Republican.

VOL. IX. DECATUR, ILLINOIS, TUESDAY, JULY 6, 1880. NO. 83

J. R. RACE & CO.

Has the Largest and Cheapest stock of CLOTHING in Decatur.

And "DON'T YOU FORGET IT."
PANTS MADE TO ORDER FOR $5.00.
Get a ticket to draw the $50 Government Bond.
J. R. RACE & CO.

1880—d&wtf

Two Giants and a Dwarf.

From the London Times.

Three of the most remarkable men of the century are now on exhibition in London at the royal aquarium—the giant Chang, a tea merchant of Pekin, Brustad, a tall Norwegian; and Che-mah, described as "the Chinese dwarf, the smallest man in the world." Chang is the largest giant in existence, stands 8 feet 2 inches, and is highly educated, speaking five different languages, including English, which he speaks very well, but with the well known sing song of the Chinamen. He is 8 feet without his boots, he measures 60 inches around the chest, weighs 26 stone, has a span of 8 feet with his outstretched arms, and signs his name without an effort upon a signpost 10 feet 6 inches high. Chang is 33 years of age, and it is about fifteen years since he was in England. After five years residence in the celestial empire he returned to Europe for the Paris exhibition, and has since visited Vienna (where the emperor gave him a ring he proudly exhibits, marked with the imperial eagles and the initials of Francis Joseph), Berlin, and Hamburg. Since his last residence in this country, Chang has grown six inches. He has a benevolent Mongolian face, a courtly manner, and wears a richly embroidered dress worked for him by his sister, who is, like the rest of the family, of only ordinary stature.

Next to Chang, and next by no long intervals, stands Brustad, about 7 feet 9 inches high, very muscular, very broad backed, having as great a girth of chest as Chang, and a wider span in proportion to his height. He has a low forehead, but speaks English fairly well Brustad has also a ring which he greatly delights in exhibiting. It is four and a half ounces in weight and a penny goes easily through it. To grasp his mighty hand in greeting is like shaking hands with an oak tree His weight is 28 stone, greater than Chang's, for his bones are more massive. His age is 35

Che-mah, the dwarf, gives his age as 42, sings a Chinese elegy, describes himself with much fluency and variety, and, as his height is only 25 inches, appears to be what he is described, the smallest man in the world. It is common for exhibited dwarfs to be over 3 feet high. Sir Geoffrey Hudson, the dwarf whom the readers of Sir Walter Scott will best remember, measured 3 feet 9 inches when he had attained his full stature.

The proprietor of the Atlantic Garden, Cincinnati, advertises in the newspapers of that city as follows "I desire to return my sincere thanks to the gentlemen composing the New York delegation to the late convention, not only for their patronage, but for their gentlemanly appreciation of the services rendered them while at my place. May they all live to pay us another visit in the near future. Gentlemen, I thank you." Which delegation does he mean, and what does he mean? Is he sarcastic, or in downright earnest?

From a Distinguished Physician.

Professor Green, a distinguished allopathic physician, wrote to the Medical Record of Atlanta, Ga, to the effect, that after all other means had failed, he sent for the Kidney Cure, (Safe Kidney and Liver Cure) and to his astonishment cured a serious case of Bright's Disease by administering it, and afterwards found it equally beneficial in other cases He advised his brother physicians to use it in preference to anything else for Kidney Disorders For sale by W C. Armstrong, druggist.
June 24 d&w2w

To Pleasure Seekers.

The Illinois Central Railroad will sell round-trip tickets to Clear Lake, Iowa for $15 50, tickets on sale during the months of June, July, August and September, and on July 12th we will sell for the same point by special train, leaving Dubuque July 13th, for $9 35, all tickets good to return by any regular train within sixty days. We also have on sale summer excursion tickets to St Paul and return, tickets good until Oct 1st; fare for the round trip, $19 50. For further information enquire at Central ticket office, Union depot June 22-d&wtf

Mr J C Patterson, who represents the P. F. Collier Publishing Co, is in the city canvassing for Moore's Poetical Works, Burns' Poems, Byron, Carleton, Dickens, and Knight's Pictorial Edition of Shakspeare's Works, also all the Standard Religious Works This firm sells all their books on the installment plan, viz a small payment when the books are delivered, and the balance monthly until paid This is a rare chance to buy nice books, at a merely nominal price, and their terms of payment place the works in reach of all [25-d2w

Wanted.

Twenty first class sewing machine operators, also girls to learn; steady work and good pay Apply at the Decatur Shirt Factory, over Leiby's bakery.
June 26—dtf

Don't buy a chromo of any kind until you have seen those new style frames at J. T Hand & Co 's 21-dtf

500 pieces sheet music (worth from 35 to 75c) at 15c each at J. T Hand & Co 's.
21-dtf

We offer for a short time 500 pieces of Sheet Music (slightly soiled) at 15c each, not one-half what it cost. J. T. Hand & Co
21-dtf

THE HARVEST!

THIS TIME WHEAT IS KING!

— AND —

B. STINE,

The "BOSS CLOTHIER,"

Offers a GRAND HURRAH for the man who worked nobly in the harvest field.

The battle is gained because the boys fought well, the hot rays of a mid-day's sun notwithstanding.

No blood shed, but plenty of sweat, and an abundance of wheat.

Once more, let us all unite in giving thanks and a

GRAND HURRAH FOR THE HARVEST!

Now, as the staff of life is secured, let us attend to the outer man.

To make happiness complete, cast off your old sweaty clothes and buy you a nice, neat, well fitting suit of clothes at B STINE'S Our stock has been replenished, and we can show the

Nicest, Cleanest, Neatest, Largest and Best Selected Stock of

CLOTHING!

Gents' Furnishing Goods,

HATS, CAPS

—AND—

TRUNKS,

of any house in Decatur, and remember always that we DEFY COMPETITION AS TO PRICES

B. STINE,

THE "BOSS CLOTHIER."

July 1, 1880 –d&wtf

"Cheap Charley's" Corner.

JUST THINK OF IT!

Our Factory and Storehouse is in Chicago!

One of the partners resides in Chicago!

All our Clothing is manufactured by us under his personal supervision!

If any bargain is in the market, he is there to secure it!

The ready cash is always at his disposal!

We buy our material direct from the producer!

We do not buy for one, but for many stores in large quantities, and thus are certain of the Lowest Price!

We sell direct to the consumer for Cash, and do not contract bad debts which have to be made up large profits!

We return the money if Goods do not give satisfaction!

WHY, OF COURSE, THESE ARE REASONS ENOUGH WHY IT IS THAT WE SELL LOWER THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE.

1. We have demonstrated the fact of our success by a constant increase of our stock, and by the constant envy of our would-be competitors.

2. We have demonstrated the fact of our permanence by increasing the facilities for selling in proportion as the number of our customers increased, and that we need now so much room and moved to larger quarters, is as much as a beam in the eye of our competitor.

3 We stay where we have made our success, in the building corner of Water and Main streets, in the block, the name of which has become a by-word in every household in the country—"CHEAP CHARLEY'S CORNER."

4. Although through with No. 1, 2 and 3, we add a 4, and are ready to go on till 13, 14, 15. Now under No. 4 we will explain some of the rules which guide us in business and which added to our success: A—Before all we attend to our own affairs, even so far as to write out our own advertisements—never allow anybody else to do it for us; believing ourselves able to manufacture them, as we manufacture our own clothing. B—We never allow stock to grow old on our hands, and to enable us to keep it fresh assorted at all time, we must do a certain amount of business. Now if we open a new branch in a town which proves not to be able to secure us that much trade, we move our stock to another place where we do find it. Sometimes we make a mistake in selecting the right town, but that cannot be helped. Among so many good towns in the west must be also some poor ones, like among so many precious good stones, it happens once in the while to find one that is not worth taking notice of.

We defy anybody to falsify the above facts.

FARM —AND— STOCK SALE

356 Acres of Fine Grazing Lands, situate one mile west of the city of Decatur; also a lot of Stock Hay, Farming Implements, &c.

The undersigned, by virtue of an order of the Circuit Court of Macon county, State of Illinois, rendered at the May term, A D 1880, in the matter of the petition of Mahlon Haworth et al. vs Nellie Haworth et al, to settle the copartnership of John Haworth & Co, will, on

Wednesday, the 1st day of September, A. D. 1880,

sell at public outcry, upon the premises below described, all the personal property belonging to said copartnership, consisting of three horses, two mules, 32 cows, 12 calves, 20 steers, 10 heifers, about 55 head of hogs, about 100 tons timothy hay, two farm wagons, one buggy, mower, feed mill, plows, harrows, harness, wood, posts, &c.; also the following described real estate:

The west half of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 16, also commencing 28 rods, 7¼ links west of the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 16, thence west 11 rods, 17¾ links, north 40 rods, east 11 rods, 17¾ links, [illegible] to beginning, except be[illegible] links east of quarter section line section 16, west 65 links, north 7 chains, 89 links, south. 68½ degrees east, 40 links, south 7 chains, 63 links to beginning.

Also, beginning at southwest corner of southeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 17, thence north 20 chains, 10 links to northwest corner southeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 17, east 13 chains, 97 links to center of Decatur & Springfield road, south 11 [illegible], south, 75½ degrees east, 13 chains, 81 links to east line of west half of southwest quarter of northeast quarter, section 17, south [illegible] chains, 80 links to quarter section line, west [illegible] chains, 47 links to beginning, also all that part of southeast quarter of the northeast quarter, and of the east half of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 17, which lies south of the center line of the Decatur and Springfield road.

Also, the south half of the southeast quarter, and northwest quarter of southeast quarter [illegible] east end north half northeast quarter of southwest quarter, section 17, also northwest quarter of northeast quarter, 15 [illegible] north half of northeast quarter of northeast quarter; the east half of southwest quarter of northeast quarter, and east half of west half of southwest quarter of northeast quarter, section 20, all in township 16 north, range 2 east of the 3rd P M, in Macon county, Ill., all inclosed with a good fence.

Terms of Sale—Personal property, in sums [illegible] cash; in sums of $10 and over, nine months' time, secured by note and approved personal security. Real estate, one-third cash, one-third in one year, and one-third in two years from date of sale, deferred payments to be secured by note with approved personal security and mortgage on the premises sold; deferred payments on real estate to bear 6 per cent. interest.

About [illegible] of the above real estate is [illegible] and well set in timothy; the remainder is rich bottom land, well set in blue grass, and [illegible] river, which affords [illegible] There are two [illegible] buildings; and a good [illegible]

KILBURN H ROBY, Receiver.

June 28, 1880—d&wtd

Early Breakfast cooking stove given in exchange for anything that it takes for housekeeping at Ashby & Andress.
7-jd4-tf

WARNER'S SAFE BITTERS

It is the best Blood Purifier, and stimulates every function to more healthful action, and is thus a benefit in all diseases

In eliminating the impurities of the blood, the natural and necessary result is the cure of Scrofulous and other Skin Eruptions and Diseases, including Cancers, Ulcers and other Sores

Dyspepsia, Weakness of the Stomach, Constipation, Dizziness, General Debility, etc, are cured by the Safe Bitters. It is unequaled as an appetizer and regular tonic.

It is a medicine which should be in every family, and which, wherever used, will save the payment of many doctors' bills.

Bottles of two sizes, prices, 50 cents and $1.00.

Warner's Safe Remedies are sold by Druggists and Dealers in Medicine everywhere.

H. H WARNER & CO., Proprietors, Rochester, N. Y.

Send for Pamphlet and Testimonials

M A. MYER. F. C. MYER.

MYER & SON,

HOUSE AND SIGN

PAINTERS!

SPECIALTIES:

Decorating, Graining, Gilding, Frescoing and Tinting.

SHOP—North Side of the City Park, over meat market, Decatur, Illinois.

March 20—d&wtf

ICE!

For Sale by Car Loads, Ton or otherwise.

FAMILIES FURNISHED

—AT—

REASONABLE PRICES

Orders left at J Michl's Cigar Store, NO. 12 WATER STREET, will receive prompt attention.

Decatur Ice Co.

WILHOFT'S FEVER AND AGUE TONIC

FOR CHILLS AND FEVER AND ALL DISEASES CAUSED BY Malarial Poisoning OF THE BLOOD.

A Warranted Cure.

Price, $1.00.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

June 25-d&w4m

HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED

STOMACH BITTERS

Serve an Injunction on Disease

By invigorating a feeble constitution, renovating a debilitated physique, and enriching a thin and innutritious circulation with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the finest, the most highly sanctioned, and the most popular tonic and preventive in existence

For sale by all Druggists and Dealers generally July 1 d cod&wly

WANTED--

All kinds of Old Furniture and Housekeeping Goods in any quantity. Full value given by Tom Hughes and John Jackson, at

LIDDLE'S,
Court House Block

April 5—d&wtf

Cash Does the Business.

We buy for cash, buy cheap, sell on low margins, try to get the best made and most durable goods that we can find, try to please our customers, never make any misrepresentations knowingly, always willing to correct mistakes, want your trade. Come and see us, we are always glad to see old friends and make new ones Barber & Baker
d&wtf

Corsets and Hosiery

In both we can safely say that our stock for freshness, general excellence, variety and prices cannot be excelled in Central Illinois It will be worth your while to examine and price these goods. They are every way desirable and sure to give satisfaction to the purchaser
28 d&w1w Cheap Store

—15—

Children's Carriages!

AT ACTUAL COST.

3 Baby Sleeping Coaches!

13 REFRIGERATORS.

10 WATER COOLERS.

20 Gasoline Stoves with Noiseless Burners.

20 Sets Croquet--Cheap.

All the above must be CLOSED OUT to make room for other Goods, at

LIDDLE'S

Mammoth Stores,

COURT HOUSE BLOCK.

Feb 5—d&wtf

In the District Court of the United States, for the Southern District of Illinois.

In Bankruptcy-No. 2026

In the matter of William J Brown and Marion C. Wikoff, Bankrupts,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition has been filed in said Court by said William J Brown and Marion C Wikoff of Decatur, in the County of Macon, in said District, duly declared Bankrupts under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, and the amendments thereto, for a discharge and certificate thereof, from all their debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the

16th DAY OF JULY, A. D. 1880,

at 11 o clock a. m., is assigned for the hearing of the same by the said Court, at the United States Court Room in the City of Springfield, when and where all creditors of said Bankrupts, and all other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

M B CONVERSE, Clerk

E. S McDonald, Att'y for Petitioners
Dated at Springfield June 11, 1880
12-d4w

TO THE PUBLIC.

I AM PREPARED TO PURCHASE FOR citizens of Decatur,

Oats, Corn, Hay, Wood

ETC, BY THE LOAD.

Orders left at my store will be filled as promptly as possible Charges reasonable
Nov 24—dtf V. H. PARKE.

Shellabarger's Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat None of its virtues are wasted Try it [Dec 18-d&wtf

Not wealth, nor birth, nor rank nor state,
But GET RIGHT UP AND GIT that makes men great.

KAUFMANN & BACHRACH

Manufacturers of

MEN'S AND BOYS'

Clothing!

Dealers in

Goods for Men's Wear.

Cor. East Main & Water Sts.,

DECATUR.

Factory—Chicago, Illin

May 6—d&wtf

RHEUMATIC CURE NEVER FAILS.

Dr. BOSANKO'S

PILE REMEDY

AN ABSOLUTE CURE.

Dr. Bosanko's Rheumatic Cure:

AN ALKALI OINTMENT.

[illegible] *Rheumatism.* [illegible] *Rheumatism.* [illegible] DR BOSANKO RHEUMATIC CURE [illegible] *Price 75 Cents*

DR. BOSANKO'S PILE REMEDY,

[illegible] *Piles* [illegible] *Price 50 Cents.* [illegible] *Pile Remedy* [illegible]

FREE —Dr. Bosanko's Treatise on Rheumatism and Piles sent on application.

Address

THE DR. BOSANKO MEDICINE CO., PIQUA, OHIO.

For Sale by Hubbard & Swearingen.

DRUGGISTS DECATUR

May 16-d6m

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County }

Macon County Circuit Court.

Richard W Shull, Executor of the last will and testament of Frances [illegible] vs. Elizabeth Read, John N. Read, [illegible] A. Read, Georgiana Read and Susan C. Thomas.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said Court at the December Term, A. D. 18[illegible], I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said Court, on

Thursday, July 29th, A. D. 1880,

at the hour of 2 o clock p m of said day, sell at public auction, to the [illegible] for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. [illegible] in Block eight [8], in the [illegible] eight 8, Read & Co 's Addition to Decatur, Illinois (as recorded in Book [illegible], Page [illegible] Macon county records), and the [illegible] No twelve [12] and Lot No. fourteen [14] in the Resurvey of Lots 2, 3 and 4, [illegible] & Prather's Addition of Out-Lots to Decatur, Illinois, (as recorded in Book [illegible], Page [illegible] Macon county records), together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging Said premises will [illegible] subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, May [illegible], 1880.

JOHN A. B[illegible]
Master in Chancery for Macon [illegible]

Crea & Ewing, Sol's for Com[illegible]
June 29—d4w

The Daily Republican.

B. K. HAMSHER, J. R. MOSSER.
HAMSHER & MOSSER PUBLISHERS
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

ENTERED at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 6, 1880

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

FOR PRESIDENT,
JAMES A. GARFIELD,
of Ohio.
For Vice President,
CHESTER A. ARTHUR,
of New York.

For Governor,
SHELBY M. [illegible],
of [illegible].
For [illegible]-Governor,
[illegible] M. HAMILTON,
of [illegible].
For Secretary of State,
[illegible]
For [illegible] Accounts,
[illegible]
[illegible] General,
[illegible] McCARTNEY,
of Wayne.
For Congress—15th District,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
of Vermilion county.
For Member of the State Board of Equalization, 15th Congressional District,
MAJ. CHARLES F. EMERY,
of Macon county.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION

The Republican voters of the several townships and election districts, in Macon county are requested to elect delegates to a county convention, to be held at the court house in Decatur, on

Thursday, August 5th,

at 10 o'clock a. m. for the following purposes:

1st, To reorganize the county central committee.

2d, To choose delegates to represent Macon county in the legislative convention of the 39th senatorial district, hereafter to be called.

3d, To nominate candidates for clerk of the Circuit Court, Sheriff, Coroner and Prosecuting Attorney, to be voted for at the ensuing November election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention. The basis of representation will be one delegate for every 50 votes cast for Rutherford B Hayes in 1876, and one delegate for every fraction of 25 votes. Upon this basis the several townships and districts will be entitled to delegates as follows:

Decatur—1st District	8	Long Creek	2
" —2d "	6	Milam	1
" —3d "	5	Maroa	5
" —4th "	4	Mt. Zion	2
[illegible]	2	Macon	4
[illegible]	2	Niantic	2
[illegible] Creek	3	Oakley	2
[illegible]	2	Pleasant View	2
H[illegible]	2	Wheatland	2
Illini	2	Whitmore	3

By order of the committee
JAMES G. LAKE, Chairman.

LADIES will find good seats at the tabernacle to-night.

THE meeting at the tabernacle to-night will be a stunner. Be sure to be on hand.

THE United States mint turned out over $84,000,000 in coin last year. Of this $27,000,000 was in standard silver.

THE glee club and Decatur band will furnish music at the tabernacle to-night.

IT is looks now as if Enoch Emery, of the Peoria *Transcript*, has the inside track for the Republican nomination for congress in the ninth district.

COME to the tabernacle to night and hear Stephen A. Douglas, the son of the "Little Giant."

TILDEN is said to have spent $32,000 at the Cincinnati convention—all for the purpose of getting the delegates to understand that he did not want the nomination.

THE Garfield Club to be organized at the tabernacle to-night, will do good work before the campaign closes.

GEN. GARFIELD'S letter of acceptance will be ready for the press next [illegible] risk nothing in saying that it will be a good one.

THREE excursion steamers on Lake Minnetonka have exploded within three [illegible] having the same kind [illegible] belonging to the same man. The unfortunate feature of the matter is that the owner of the boats [illegible] of the victims of his own cupidity.

IT is always easier to nominate a candidate of whose election there is no possibility than it is to get one on the [illegible] or district in which a nomination is equivalent to an election. In the Illinois state Democratic convention nearly every candidate was nominated by acclamation, but over in the eleventh congressional district—a district in which the sun never shines—it took 262 ballots to nominate Gen. [illegible].

PLYMOUTH CHURCH at Indianapolis borrowed $8,000 of Wm. H English in [illegible] at 10 per cent. In 1878 he refused to reduce the rate to the figure [illegible], or to take the money and release the mortgage. Now, the [illegible] being slightly in arrears, he [illegible] to foreclose.

Extract of Beef

From the celebrated Physician, Erasmus Wilson, of London, England. "Several [illegible] cases of incipient consumption have come under my observation that [illegible] cured by the timely use of [illegible] Liebig's Liquid Extract of Beef [illegible] Invigorator."
[illegible]

PROSPECTS.

Whenever a political campaign opens both sides begin to boast of the success that is morally certain to crown their efforts, without giving much or any attention to the reasons for the faith they profess to have in their hope of triumph. Every campaign possesses its own peculiar features, which, while not always tangible enough to catch the attention of the masses, nevertheless exert an influence that frequently puzzles the casual observer. There is a philosophy in campaigns—a philosophy that can be reduced to rules which are almost absolutely certain in their application. That the mere mud slinger of a canvass fails to observe these rules and to profit by their teachings is no evidence of their non-existence.

The peculiar feature of the present campaign is the fact that it occurs during a season of almost unparalleled prosperity. Crops of all kinds promise an abundant yield, the factories are all alive with business, labor finds steady employment at fair wages, speculation is sufficiently brisk to be healthful, and the people are content in the belief that the country has entered upon a season of prosperity from which every individual hopes to reap a personal advantage. Close observers of political history have formulated from experience this theory, that the people never desert the party in power during the days of prosperity, and there is no gainsaying this important rule. The merest tyro in mental philosophy will see the force of the theory, and appreciate its reasonableness. The converse of the proposition, that the people never adhere with fidelity to the party in power during seasons of financial depression, is no less true, and we need go back no farther than the campaign of 1876 to find a case in point. Then the country was passing through the deep waters of monetary trouble, fortunes were melting away like frost before the vernal sun, houses of long standing were tottering to fall, the loom and the anvil and the hammer were rusting in silence, the laborer was grimly contemplating the advent of gaunt famine into his unhappy home, and everything was somber and gloomy. With this kind of an outlook it is not wonderful that the campaign upon the part of the party in power lacked vitality, and that the opposition—ostentatiously promising all kinds of "reform"—should make inroads and gain votes.

Now, however, all is changed, and with the strong current of healthful trade coursing its way unchecked through every channel of commerce the aspect of political affairs is exactly the reverse of that of four years ago. Instead of gloom there is sunshine, instead of sorrow there is joy, and the people are not casting about for "any port in a storm." To a thoughtful observer the prospects are brighter for Republican success than at any time since 1872.

THE Springfield (Mass) *Republican* called the Hon. F. A. Hobart "merely a machine politician," by way of discrediting him as a congressional candidate, and called out the following reply

Although you state as a positive fact that I am a candidate, I really have some doubts about it myself. If one of the requisite qualifications be that I must furnish a certificate that I have occasionally voted the state or national democratic ticket, and displayed what is termed "independence" by bolting the republican nominations when they did not suit me, then I am disqualified. If I must prove that I was a "Greeley man" in 1872 in order to be considered a fit exponent of Massachusetts republicanism, and thus "represent Massachusetts creditably in Washington," then pass me by, for I can't do it. If to be a candidate for congress it is necessary that I should show that I have joined in abuse of General Grant, then count me out. If it is necessary, to secure the position, that I should enter into a scramble and scrub race with the other estimable gentlemen to whom you refer, then count myself out.

That letter ought to elect Hobart.

JIM ROBINSON advises the young mossbackers to stay away from Republican meetings. That has been the trouble with Jim. He has staid away from Republican meetings where he might have learned something, and has [illegible] Bourbon literature until he is to day a deluded victim of its pernicious teachings.—*Stalwart.*

Our Corsets

Are made to order for us by Tomlinson & Brewster, Birmingham, Conn, and cannot be excelled for durability. None but first class houses can compete with us in this, one of our specialties. Our prices, however, are lower than those of the best houses for a similar class of goods. We do not misrepresent, but state facts at all times, and take pains to advertise facts only. We also carry the celebrated Bortree Complex Corsets, and all in all our stock in this department cannot be excelled even in the metropolis of Illinois.

CHEAP STORE,
Sign of the big 18, Merchant St

IF you want good bread buy at Milam's bakery. 24-dtf

HOMŒOPATHY IN POLITICS.

Necessity for Going to the Bottom of Things and Removing the Poison from the System.

From the Toledo Blade.

We do not believe that a rotten egg can be made as good as a fresh one by only cleaning the shell.

We do not believe that a mock-auction den can be made a reputable retail establishment by simply putting out a new sign.

We do not believe that a pirate ship can be made an honest merchantman by a new figure-head on the prow.

We do not believe that donning a new paper collar is as good as changing one's dirty shirt and soiled underwear.

We do not believe that another coat of whitewash on the outside of a sepulcher can make the corruption and dead men's bones within pleasant and attractive.

We do not believe that a few drops of carbolic acid can make the foulness of a sewer as wholesome and inviting as the limpid waters of a spring.

We do not believe in the application to politics of the homœopathic principle that the greater the dilution the greater the strength.

Consequently, we do not believe that the nomination of a Union soldier for the head of its ticket changes one iota of the nature of the Democratic party, purges it of a particle of disloyalty, or cleanses it of a grain of the soil of blood and crime with which it has stained itself in its half century of existence, and fifty years of warfare against the best interests of the nation.

It would make an infinity of Hancocks—not at the head of the ticket, but in the body of the party—to redeem its malignant putrescence, and make it sweet and savory to the nostrils of the people.

We have seen too many quite as good soldiers as Hancock enter the party, and seen how utterly powerless they were to effect any improvement in it, to have any hope that another soldier more or less can be of any avail.

What can one more loyal man, gallant general though he be, avail in a party which contains the whole of the late Southern Confederacy, all the Ku-klux Klans, the White Leaguers, the Shot-gun Bands, the Rifle Clubs of the South, all the Sons of Liberty, the Knights of the Golden Circle, the Illini—all the soldier-hating, freedom-hating, Union-hating Copperheads of the North—that contains everybody who fired a gun at the flag, who murdered soldiers in the field, who starved a Union prisoner at Andersonville, or who assassinated a Republican in a midnight raid upon his unsuspecting home? Nothing; absolutely nothing.

Is not General Hancock a very small measure of whitewash to make this mountain of scarlet disloyalty as white as snow? It would seem so.

We have as much admiration for General Hancock's soldierly career as any one, and that admiration dates back some sixteen years, to a time when these new born admirers—who are now "pointing with pride to his soldierly record,"—to quote their own language—were execrating the "brutal butcher," as they styled him, for sending his soldiers into the "shambles" and for "desolating" Southern homes

But that Hancock fought well at Gettysburg and the Wilderness is no reason why his candidacy should be allowed to blind us to the sinister designs of those who have seduced him into serving as a cloak—a screen behind which they can plot and conspire to recover what they failed to win on the field.

But we have no fears for the result. We have no fears that anybody is going to be deceived by his candidacy, any more than they were by McClellan's in 1864.

The ides of November will show the people of the United States aroused once more to a vindication of the principles in which they have fought so long and victoriously. That vindication will be the humiliating and disheartening overthrow of the remnants of the rebellion, which have made Hancock their standard-bearer, and it will be a glorious victory for the man who stands in the foremost rank of Ohio's great sons, both in the field and in the forum—General James A. Garfield.

Gen. Banks Pronounces Him Clean.

From an Interview in the Boston Transcript

Remembering that Gen. Nathaniel P. Banks was one of the committee which in 1873 had under investigation the connection of members of Congress with the Credit Mobilier affair, the General was waited upon at his office in the United States Court House and asked if he had any objections to giving the *Transcript* his impressions, as he remembered them, of Mr. Garfield's standing before the committee. Gen. Banks said that he had not the slightest objection. The committee, he said, was composed of two Republicans (Mr. Poland, of Vermont, and Mr. McCrary, of Iowa, afterward Secretary of War), and two Democrats (Messrs. Niblack, of Indiana, and Merrick, of Maryland, the latter an able lawyer and prominent Southern Democrat), and myself. Gen. Garfield was not compromised at all, in the judgment of the committee, which was unanimous in the report which was subsequently sustained by each of the committee, before the House. Gen. Banks, who has known the Republican Presidential candidate since 1861, spoke of Gen. Garfield's clean reputation in Congress, saying that his word or statement always passed without a doubt with men of all parties.

WE keep everything in our line; low shoes, high shoes, big shoes, little shoes, broad shoes, narrow shoes, fine shoes or coarse shoes, and if you want any other kind of a shoe we will order it for you. We aim to please. Call and see us.
d&wtf BARBER & BAKER.

TELEGRAPHIC

THE FLOOD.

Great Destruction of Property on the Mississippi.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

TOLEDO, O., July 6.—Wheat $1.02¼, cash.

QUINCY, Ill., July 4.—Another break occurred in the Sny levee at midnight last night, directly opposite Hannibal, in the portion of the embankment formed by the Wabash railway. The crevasse is 300 feet wide, and the noise made by the roaring of the water as it surged through the break could be heard for a distance of several miles. This will complete the ruin of the flood, as there are now four breaks in the embankment—one opposite Hannibal, another fourteen miles south, near Cincinnati Landing, a third twelve miles further south, near Gibgai Prairie, and the fourth still further south. There are several weak places in the bank between Hannibal and Quincy, and it is believed that other breaks will certainly occur during the night. The water from the last crevasse will complete the ruin at the upper end of Sny island, a large portion of which has thus far escaped. The people were taken off in boats, all the wagon roads being under water, and the levee break is alive with people, horses, mules, cattle and household goods. The former say that they feared a break would occur, but each individual thought, or hoped, he would escape when the flood came in his locality. Last night they took to the house tops, where they remained until daylight. The bottoms are still full of cattle, hogs, and other stock, and the loss of live stock will be considerable. The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad is under water from Fall Creek to East Hannibal, and it is doubtful if it will be possible to run trains to-morrow. Large gangs of men have been at work on this road, and also at the break in the Wabash, all day, several train loads of rock being taken to the wreck points from this city and from Palmyra. From a point twelve miles below Quincy, as far south as Louisiana, the low lands are now flooded, and the back water from the last crevasse is steadily working its way north. This large extent of country was almost an unbroken field of magnificent grain. The corn is now in from three to eight feet of water, and the wheat floating about and ruined. It was supposed that a large portion of the wheat was threshed and saved, but from observation made to-day, it appears that only a small part of it was gotten out, there being miles and miles of the finest winter wheat grown in the West now standing in the shock or entirely under water. Farmers who were asked to approximate the loss replied that it was impossible to do so, further than to state that over fifty miles of fine farms are now under water and the flood is still spreading, the flooded country being from five to twelve miles wide.

WASHINGTON, July 5.—Much has been said about the severity of government officers enforcing the revenue laws and breaking up illicit distilling in the south. It is argued that the expense and results of these campaigns are not compensated by the increase of revenue receipts caused by the discontinuance of the business of illicit distilling. The fact is, recent returns show that the increase in receipts for one year from one of the districts in Georgia where the business was formerly carried on alone will cover the entire expense of breaking up illicit work wherever it existed throughout the country. As to the severity of government officers, Commissioner Raum is in receipt of a letter from Andrew Clark, internal revenue collector for the second Georgia district, giving the particulars of a recent shooting at Red Oak, Campbell county, Ga. The collector says that on the night of June 23d, having secured the services of a guide to several illicit distilleries said to be located in the vicinity of Red Oak station, he dispatched eleven special deputies in charge of Deputy Collector A. W. Port, accompanied by Deputy United States Marshal P. D. Bolton, to that locality for the purpose of making seizures and arrests. Owing to former resistance to officers of the government in that locality, and numerous hostile demonstrations reported to his officers by citizens it was deemed best for the party to go unincumbered with horses or vehicles of any kind. They therefore went on cars to a point near the works, and then on foot, provided with rations for a 3 days' trip. The officers traveled thus, their movements being continually watched by armed men, until about 3 p. m., on the 24th. They had found five illicit distilleries, and were on their way to others located by the guide accompanying them, when they were suddenly fired upon from ambush less than forty yards from the public roadside in which they were traveling in discharge of their official duty. Having carefully striven to avoid, if possible, any collision with citizens who were menacing them with arms, the officers, at the time they were fired upon, had not a piece loaded. But seeing their imminent danger, they at once loaded and returned the fire of their assailants, and charged the woods, driving them off and capturing one of their number. The officers then continued on their way in the direction of the illicit distilleries of which they were in quest, but had proceeded only a short distance when they were fired into a second time, by persons concealed in the undergrowth near the roadside. This time the officers were again taken by complete surprise, and several of them narrowly escaped severe injury. But they immediately discharged a volley into the woods whence the firing upon them proceeded, and then charged upon their assailants. In this latter affray two of the attacking party were wounded, one fatally. Finding that nothing further in the matter of seizures could then be accomplished, Deputy Collector Port withdrew his force for the time being, and returned to Atlanta. It will be remembered that it was in this same locality, in January, 1878, that a deputy United States Marshal's posse was fired upon by armed citizens, and a guide severely wounded, two horses being killed, and in the immediate vicinity of where several government witnesses and supposed informers have been ruthlessly and brutally murdered during the past two years. It is only a few months, the collector says, since the remains of one of their supposed victims was found partially buried near the roadside, close to Red Oak, with his head literally severed from his body and otherwise frightfully mangled. It appears, continued the collector, that the close proximity of this Red Oak section to a good and profitable market and superior natural facilities in location and surroundings for evading the law successfully, have tended to make it a resort for a most reckless and desperate class of men, who are determined to ply their lawless vocation at any hazard to life and property. He cannot account for this in any other way than by attributing it to the supposed encouragement they received from their friends, their neighbors and patrons, all of whom, it is insisted by a certain clan, are law-loving and law-abiding citizens, become so reckless and inconsistent in their defiance of law, and resistance to lawful authority, that with arms in their hands they hide along public roads for the purpose of murdering officers of the government in the line of duty, and discharge deadly weapons from ambush, full in their faces, the responsibility for injuries they sustain in consequence of their rash and inhuman conduct rests with themselves, and the citizens and authorities, state and local, who permit such a state of affairs to exist.

Made a Mistake.

The *National Republican* of a recent date says: "We think the Democracy has made the same kind of a mistake in this selection of a candidate at Cincinnati as did the Whigs in 1852 in Baltimore, in the nomination of General Scott. In each case the trained statesmen were set aside because they were statesmen, and had made a record, and the soldier was taken, because he was a soldier, not in the spirit of hero-worship, but simply and solely because he was not a statesman. The attempt to hurrah General Scott into the presidency was a flat failure. The enthusiasm of the brass band politicians was perfectly apparent to the people. The statesmen who had been set aside were hurt and sore that their services to the party and the country were ignored, that their very fame was looked upon as a weakness. The nomination of a soldier, made from the most ignoble motives and as the result of wretched rivalries, was the death-knell of the Whig party. The nomination of Hancock came by reason of exactly similar tactics and beliefs. The result, in our opinion, will follow the parallel already pointed out. Nothing will be gained to the democracy from ringing the changes upon the war record of their nominee, for the campaign will not turn upon the war services. The questions with which they will have to deal will be those to which their candidate is as perfect a stranger as though he had been a resident of Canada."

SEVENTEEN years ago—July 3, 1863—General Hancock dispersed a large democratic crowd at Gettysburg, Pa. If anybody had told the boys whom he compelled to take to the woods on that occasion that they would be now praising him as a patriot and a statesman, and threatening to vote for him for president, the boys would have been very mad about it.—*Globe Democrat.*

THE Richmond (Va.) *Commonwealth* accepts Hancock, but at the same time says: "We have seen evidences of a disposition to parade before our people the times and places when General Hancock, in command of the Federal forces, overthrew the confederate forces. We hope this will be discontinued. Our people have no hankering for crow, however it may be dished."

Rev. Geo H Thayer, of Bourbon, Ind., known to every one in that vicinity as a most influential citizen and Christian minister of the M. E. Church, says: "I wish everybody to know that I consider that both myself and wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE." Drs. Matchett & France, physicians and druggists of the same place, say: "It is having a tremendous sale, and is giving perfect satisfaction such as nothing else has done. For Lame Back, Side or Chest, don't fail to use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. We recommend these remedies." Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner.

Do You Believe It.

That in this town there are scores of persons passing our store every day whose lives are made miserable by Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Sour and distressed Stomach, Liver Complaint, Constipation, when for 75 cents we will sell them Shiloh's Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A marvelous cure for Catarrh, Diptheria, Canker Mouth and Headache. With each bottle there is an ingenious nasal injector for the more successful treatment of the complaint, without extra charge—Price 50 cents Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner.
Oct. 1-d&weot

500 PIECES sheet music (worth from 35 to 75c) at 15c each at
21-dtf J. T. HAND & Co.'s.

YOU WILL DO WELL TO SEE!

Our New Goods; our house is full, and at prices that will surprise and please you. You have heard very much about the great advance in prices; and, while this is true in some kinds of goods, the great majority of them ARE AS LOW AS EVER THEY WERE. We will duplicate the lowest prices ever touched in Table Linens, Napkins, &c., commencing on all Linen Table Linen at 25 cents, the lowest price we have ever had in pure linen; and as good a Linen Napkin at 75, 90 and $1.00, as we have ever had. We show the same LINEN TOWEL at 10c, and same old numbers at the old prices.

We have a beautiful stock of Fans and Parasols, Ribbons, Embroideries, Laces of all kinds, Ties, Ruching, Fichus, Kid Gloves in 2, 3, 4 and 6 button; all our old makes of Corsets AT THE OLD PRICES; ladies' and men's Gauze Underwear; as handsome Hosiery for ladies and children as you ever saw; 50 varieties of Ladies' and Children's Lisle and Lace Top Lisle Gloves; Black and Tinted Silk Mitts. We show Summer Silks from 50c upward; the best Black Silks at $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00, IN THE CITY; Beautiful Lawns at 8, 10 to 15c; Handsome Linen Lawns, Plain and Lace Buntings, Elegant Pique, Embroidered Swiss, Plain Swiss, Victoria Lawns, Nainsooks, in fact all the new novelties in White Goods. We have handsome Talmas and Jackets, Linen and Mohair Dusters, Summer Skirts, Shetland Shawls, &c. Our stock of all kinds of goods is large. WE GUARANTEE THEM TO BE AS LOW AS THEY ARE IN THE UNITED STATES, and invite all to come and see them.

F. L. HAYS & CO.
May 12—d&wtf.

TO REDUCE!

—OUR VERY LARGE STOCK OF—

HOSIERY,
LACES,
EMBROIDERIES,
ZEPHYR SHAWLS,
FICHUS,
DUSTERS,
PARASOLS
AND
FANCY GOODS GENERALLY,

We have this day inaugurated a

CLEARANCE SALE!

We show in the above enumerated lines the most Elegant Stock of any house in Central Illinois.

Our stock is complete in every department, and as we are somewhat overstocked, desire to give the people of Decatur and vicinity a

SPECIAL BENEFIT

We beg to impress upon the minds of our friends and patrons that, while we carry some cheap goods, the bulk of our stock is first-class, fresh and new, and equal to the best manufactured.

ALL GOODS MARKED IN PLAIN SELLING FIGURES.

We carry no Dry Goods.

CHEAP STORE.

18 Merchant Street. SOL. MORITZ & CO.
July 1—d&wtf

PARASOLS.
At About Cost and Carriage.

We have left a very handsome lot of black twilled silk, lined, in 20 and 22 inch goods, and about one dozen of the 22 inch 16 rib twilled silk parasols. Both are undoubtedly the nicest goods in Decatur, and we offer them LOW. Come and see them. In other grades, plain and Pekin striped parasols, we offer the same inducements. CHEAP STORE.
June 27-d&w1w

IF you want to sleep in peace, call on Ashby & Andress and get a Mosquito Bar, or they will sell you a canopy frame and you can make it up
June 30—d&w2mo

Cash Paid

for second-hand overcoats and all kinds of second hand clothing at Getz's, corner of Prairie and North Main streets. Also fine clothing repaired and scoured.
July 1-d1w*

NEW AND FRESH
EMBROIDERIES,
29 1w at the Cheap Store

THE "Faultless" fruit cans are for sale at Ashby & Andress'. 17-d3w

REDUCE your shoe bills by buying of Barber & Baker d&wtf

Wanted!

All kinds of old furniture and house hold goods, in exchange or for cash. Will pay more than any other house in the city. New furniture, glass and queensware at prices to defy competition. We have no rents to pay, and can give our customers the benefit of the same. Give me a call before either selling or buying elsewhere HOUSTON,
East side City Park, old Revere House
April 16-dtf

Picture Frames.

Largest assortment and lowest prices, at J M Stookey & Co's
April 3—d&wtf

J. D. WHEELER, M. D.
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
Special attention given to the diseases of women and children.
Office No 19 Water street. Residence No. 24 West Main street, Decatur Illinois.

Grain Speculation!

GRAIN and PROVISIONS in SMALL or LARGE QUANTITIES—$10 to any amount—write for Circulars

A. J. MALOY, Broker,
125 LA SALLE STREET, CHICAGO, ILLS.
Member Chicago Board of Trade.
" Chicago Open Board of Trade.
June 21—d1w

The Daily Republican.

TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 7, 1880.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce Arthur G. Benton as a candidate for representative, subject to the decision of the Republican district convention.

We are authorized to announce John A. Brown as a candidate for Representative, subject to the action of the 29th district Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce Charles Towner, of Friends Creek township, as a candidate for sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce John N. Buller as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce Dr. J. H. Axton, of Maroa, as a candidate for representative from the 29th senatorial district, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention.

We are authorized to announce JOHN M. MAUZY as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce Edmiston McClellan as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce William W. Foster as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce George P. Hardy as a candidate for circuit clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce JOHN IRWIN as a candidate for the office of Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce MARTIN FORSTMYER as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce HENRY W. DAVIS, of Long Creek township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

Buy no refrigerator until you have seen the popular "Alaska," for sale only at E D. Bartholomew & Co's.

Waste paper festival at the tabernacle Thursday evening.

June 30th there were 325 convicts in the Chester penitentiary.

The Decatur coal shaft is sunk to a depth of about 90 feet, and everything is moving along nicely.

Fresh country produce at Peter Ullrich's grocery store every morning.

There was a big crowd at Spangler's grove last night, and had a good time in a social way. Dancing was the principal feature of the evening.

You can buy fresh bread at Niedermyer's, on the mound.

Four furnished rooms for rent, in the new house opposite the high school building. [july6d4d*

Fichus, Laces and Lace Goods, at reduced prices. Cheap Store.
6-d&w1w

The Y. M. C. A. executive committee will hold an open meeting at the rooms on Merchant street, to-night, to be preceded by the regular devotional exercises. All are invited to be present

There is a girl in Illinois who has invented a way to utilize the movement of a woman's chin so as to make it run a sewing machine, and she will be looked upon as greater than Edison

Wanted immediately, a girl to do general house work, at Mrs. J C Lake's.

One of Mr. Isaac Harkrader's children fell in a tub of water, at the farm south of Maroa, on yesterday, and drowned before any one could go to its assistance. The child was buried to-day.

For glazed sewer pipe, and sewer building on sanitary principles, call at J. H. O'Neil's. 2-d1w

Hear Stephen A. Douglas at the tabernacle to-night. He is not a republican because his father was a democrat, but because his father would be a republican were he living to-day.

Wanted.—All ladies who intend to investigate or learn the Magic Scale system of dresscutting to call at Mrs. Dodson's parlors this week, as we will be engaged thereafter preparing for our new emporium. Also several competent seamstresses and ladies to learn dressmaking and cutting. G K. Woodward.

Chew Zig-zag tobacco, clear Kentucky white filler. dtf

Until further notice trains going north on the I C. R. R. will leave Decatur as follows. Passenger at 6 45 a. m ; accommodation at 3:40 p. m.; freight, 4 30 p. m. Going south: Accommodation, 10.05 a. m.; passenger, 5-25 p. m.; freight, 9.20 a. m. See time card.

Never buy any article of jewelry until you can see what you can do at Curtis & Ewing's. [July 6-d&w3w

Saturday night at Maroa, one Gulick and Cox quarrelled, and it is charged Cox stabbed Gulick in the neck with a knife, inflicting a serious wound, which required the immediate attention of Dr. J. H. Axton.

First-class upholstering done at P. B Provost & Son's. 2-dtf

New sheet music and instructors' books, at J. T. Hand & Co.'s. 21-dtf

Thermometers, all sorts and prices, at Abbott & Andrews'
March 6-dtf

You will find at all times the most elaborate line of clocks at prices that can't be beaten, at Curtis & Ewing's.
July 6-d&w3w

C. F. Engle, Druggist, says: Rinehart's Worm Lozengers excel everything else for Worms. I cannot keep store without them. 25 cents per box. Warranted. For sale by A. J. Stoner and J. T. Hubbard. July 1-d&w1w

Physicians, as well as the public, admit the merits of Dr Marshall's Bromoline, and recommend it for purifying the blood. Sold by Decatur druggists.
July 6-d&w1w

Biliousness or constipation is a sign of a diseased liver. Cure them both with Dr. Marshall's Bromoline. Sold by Decatur druggists. [july6d&w1w

Milam's bread is always fresh and pure and sweet. 14-dtf

Pursuant to published agreement, the dry goods stores of Linn & Scruggs, Theo. Gehrmann, Roach & McReynolds, Lambert & Co and F. L. Hays & Co. closed last evening at 7 o'clock. This rule will be followed every day of the week, Saturdays excepted, until Sept. 1st, in order that the merchants and salesmen may have needed rest during the hot months and time to enjoy the evening's breeze. The sudden change was so odd and awkward last evening that many of the clerks stood around, apparently at a loss to know what to do with themselves. They will soon be busy enough.

When Auctioneer Minckley finds that he has an unprofitable crowd in his establishment, and wishes to make room for fresh bidders, he suddenly declares the sales closed for the day, and then goes to the back part of the store, grasps a broom and commences to sweep out the room. And then the crowd departs in a hurry, to avoid the disgrace of being swept out. The loafers gone, the Captain mounts the box again and commences to knock down a $5,000 diamond breast-pin or ring to an imaginary bidder for the ruinously small sum of 50 cents, and then a fresh crowd of buyers comes in.

Recently the Grayville and Mattoon railroad was sold under a decree of foreclosure for $600,000 to C. R Cummings, of Chicago, trustee for the bondholders and holders of receiver's certificates. It is supposed the road will be consolidated with the P , L. & D This road is putting on considerable airs of late, and is destined to be one of the important lines passing through Decatur. The work on the new connection north of the city is progressing as rapidly as the weather will permit. The grading has about reached Water street.

Willis Johnson, who owns a fine farm about three miles northwest of Decatur, was the first farmer to bring new wheat into the market in this city. His load was delivered at D S. Shellabarger & Co 's on June 28th, and brought 85 cents per bushel. Shellabarger & Co. have purchased about 400 bushels of new wheat so far in the season, and are buying more every day, paying good prices.

The cigarmaker's employed at Kepler's factory took a lay off yesterday to celebrate the 4th, and Snider's base ball nine tackled the Decatur Browns for a championship game on the old Macpherson grounds near the Union Depot. The Browns got away with Snider's nine in grand style, but there will doubtless be another meeting and a hot contest ere long.

The celebration of the 4th, on Cassell's Hill, in which the members of St. James Church and friends participated on yesterday, was one of the most enjoyable affairs of the day It was very largely attended, particularly in the evening, when the shady grounds were thronged with people

Stephen A. Douglas has arrived, and will speak at the tabernacle to-night He is stopping at the residence of Judge Greer, where a large number of Republicans and Democrats called this afternoon and paid their respects to our distinguished visitor.

The assessment equalizing committee of the board of supervisors met at the court house to-day pursuant to law, but adjourned to Monday next without doing anything, owing to the fact that the assessor's book of Maroa township is not yet left with Clerk Waggoner.

There was a big crowd in attendance at the 4th of July hop, given at the Eldorado hose house last night. Leonard's Italian band furnished the music for the occasion, and everything passed off very pleasantly.

The sale of reserved seats for the Litta and Decatur band concert at the tabernacle on Monday evening, July 12th, will commence at Curtis & Ewing's on Thursday morning next at nine o'clock.

Late Real Estate Sales

Deeds filed for record since our last report.

Jacob Frick to Frederick Zollars, 45 acres in section 33, town 15, range 2 east —$2400.

Isaac Hurst to Edward A. Goffinit, 80 acres in 6, 14, 1 east—$2800

Fenton McGowan to William Lawler, lots 17 and 18, block 6, Smith & Co 's Addition to Decatur—$350.

B. K. Durfee to Lizzie Griesser, quit claim to lot 15, block 1, Wm Martin's Addition to Decatur—$49 04

Sylvester M. Currier to Joseph J. McKirahan, 40 acres in 34, 18, 3 east—$1300.

Ladies' Muslin Underwear,

In quantities and variety to please the most fastidious. We offer first-class goods at the old prices; no fancy profits or two prices. Cheap Store.
July 6-d&w1w

To Enumerators of Macon County.

After consultation with a number of the enumerators of the county, Saturday and Monday, 10 and 12th instants, were agreed upon as the two days (required by 6th Sec. of act approved April 20th, 1880) for the assembling of the enumerators at the court house. Post your notices at once and let us all meet together.

John W. Paine, Jr ,
Enumerator of the 3rd and 4th wards

Waste Paper Sociable.

At the tabernacle next Thursday night. Admission free. Everybody invited. A good time expected. A first and second, and possibly a third premium offered for waste paper. Come boys, and help us. Remember, Thursday night.

M. M. Sargent,
d3t Sec. of W. C. T. U.

Cook Wanted.

A good cook wanted immediately at the Park Hotel. The right person will be given steady occupation and good wages
3t pd W. N. Zimmerman, Proprietor.

Arrival of Stephen A. Douglas.

The Hon. Stephen A. Douglas, son of the late Senator Douglas, arrived in the city this noon from the west and was escorted by a committee from the depot to the residence of Judge S. F. Greer, whose guest he will be during his stay in Decatur. Mr. Douglas delivered a 4th of July address at Winchester on Monday forenoon, and on the same evening he spoke at a celebration at Duncan Park, Jacksonville. He has been feeling a little unwell of late, but is rapidly recovering. He is in excellent trim to-day, and will speak at the Garfield club meeting at the tabernacle to-night Let everybody turn out and hear him Go early and get a good seat.

Burned to the Ground.

The two-story frame house on Mrs. M. K. Hatch's 40-acre farm, south of the Sangamon river, near the county bridge, caught fire this morning at about 3 o'clock and was burned to the ground. The dwelling was lately occupied by Mrs. Johnson, the mother of the murdered Berry Johnson. The building was worth probably $400, but was not insured. As the dwelling was vacant, the natural supposition is that the fire was the work of some drunken or malicious incendiary person. That particular locality, because of its evil surroundings, is specially noted as the resort of rowdies and women of loose morals, and no doubt if a thorough investigation is made, the guilty party may be discovered and arrested

The Farner Case.

We are in receipt of the following telegram this afternoon, which will inform our readers that Judge Zane has refused to release Louis Farner from custody until he has paid his fine, which, including the costs, foots up nearly $1,000.

Springfield, Ill , July 6—Louis Farner's *habeas corpus* refused. Will be home this evening. M. Forstmyer

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Regular Meeting.

Decatur, Ill., July 5, 1880.

The City Council met at the council rooms at 8 o'clock a m , July 5th, 1880, Ald. Bramble, Hardy, Harwood, McNabb and Nichols being present. Absent, Mayor Waggoner, Ald Bunn, Dennis, McDonald, Shellabarger and Shoemaker

There not being a quorum present, the council adjourned until next Wednesday night, 7½ o'clock sharp.

Attest- G. P. Hardy, Register.

The King Company Coming.

Thursday night Tony Pastor and his renowned New York Company of thirty artists will appear at the opera house in this city, and will render a long programme fairy sparkling with new and rich features never before introduced here.—Read what the New York *Herald* says

The large audience that filled the Grand Opera House last evening was a proof of the popularity of Mr. Tony Pastor and his company, an entertainment which, in its various degrees of excellence, will bear favorable comparison with what are called legitimate exhibitions. The performance comprised popular features from the opera-bouffe, neat burlesques, excellent character songs and dances, many fine comic impersonations in various dialects And the Evening Telegram But the real charm about Mr. Pastor's entertainment is that, while it is always frolicsome, melodious, mirth-provoking and gay, it is never offensive to the most refined sensibilities "Go West' is worth seeing.

"There was not a single feature of the entertainment that did not deserve to be classed as deservedly popular "—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

"Rich in enjoyment Entirely free from that which is objectionable."—*Philadelphia Record.*

Secure reserved seats at Curtis & Ewing's

PUBLIC LIBRARY,

Librarian's Report for June.

No. of books loaned	2,646
Av No. " " daily	128
No. of visitors registered	4,091
Av. No. " " daily	145
Total No borrowers registered July 1,	3,490
Fines, etc., collected	$ 2 86

R. L. Evans, Librarian.

MARRIED.

In this city, at Mrs. Haws' photograph gallery, on Monday, July 5th, 1880, by Judge Greer, Mr. Francis W. Hamilton and Miss Lucy E Covery, both of Maroa, Illinois.

L. McKenzie, the fine boot and shoe maker, pending the improvements now in progress at Osmer's new store, may be found on the south side of the park, over M. McGinty's place of business, where all work will be attended to promptly and in first-class style. In about three weeks Mr. McKenzie will reoccupy the location on Water street to be vacated by Mr. Osmer. Leave orders for work with John Osmer. 5-d&w2w.

Hosiery.

Ladies' full regular extra long Balbriggan Hose, at 30c a pair—reduced from 40c; Ladies' full regular extra long fancy striped Hose, at 35c. a pair—reduced from 45c.; Misses' and children's plain and fancy Hose at correspondingly low prices. We have inaugurated a general Clearance Sale, and our goods are in every respect worthy your early attention.
6-d&w1w Cheap Store

MONTREAL HEARD FROM.

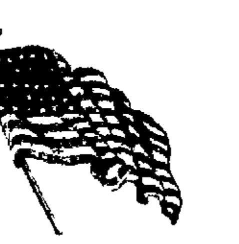
R. L Mosely, of Montreal, Canada, certified Sept 27, 1879, that he had suffered terribly from dyspepsia, and was completely cured by taking Warner's Safe Bitters. He says: "My appetite is good, and now I suffer no inconvenience from eating hearty meals." These Bitters are also a specific for all skin diseases. For sale by W. C. Armstrong, druggist. june24-d&w2w

Unlaundried Shirts,

In large quantities; the best value for the least money in Decatur.
6-d&w1w Cheap Store.

More $1.25 Chromos, and a great variety of other Pictures and Picture frames, at J. M. Stookey & Co.'s.
April 14—d&wtf

Turn Out To-Night!



LET THE BOOM BEGIN!

Meeting to Organize a Garfield and Arthur Club

At the TABERNACLE Tuesday Evening, July 6.

STEPHEN A. DOUGLAS, Jr , AND LOCAL SPEAKERS, WILL ADDRESS THE MEETING.

Feeling a deep interest in the future success of the Republican party, and believing that the results of her policy have been as yet but half realized, and that it is of the highest importance that the reins of this government shall continue to be held by the same hands as at present, in order that the success of the past twenty years may be made permanent ; and feeling proud of the history of the Republican party as one which can be submitted to the considerate judgment of patriotic men everywhere as a guarantee of *equal rights under the law,* and feeling the greatest confidence in the purity and ability of James A. Garfield and Chester A. Arthur as our leaders, we, the undersigned, do hereby pledge our heartiest support in the cause of civil rights and free ballots, and request all persons in sympathy with the objects above set forth to meet at the Tabernacle on Tuesday evening, July 6th, to organize a Garfield and Arthur Club for the campaign of 1880

[In addition to the six or seven hundred names published yesterday, for which we have not room to-day, the following desire to unite in the above call]

I S Richmond	Frank Nunemaker
Adam Blenz	Henry Held
Henry Lunn	L M Gill
Benjamin Bristow	John Wells
George Winston	Gilbert Vernon
David Field	S Jacobs
Robert Steward	Jacob Page
Lon Banister	Geo Bernell
James Bernell	Jacob Winston
Alex Isabell	Richard Woodford
Wesley Howard	Frank Dennis
George Dennis	Samuel Soyars
Wm Camper	Edward Thomas
Wood Seyars	Alvin McGoodwin
W S Randolph	

General Grant Gives it Away,

And reveals the plot by which he was to be put in possession of the White House. The plan rendered abortive by the failure to nominate at Chicago. "Washington, D. C ,July 5, 1880—The city is wild with excitement over a report that Gen. Grant has made a complete revelation of the plot devised by his political friends to seat him in the White House after the next election. Anticipating its full disclosure after the fiasco at Chicago, he determined to make a full statement in order to free himself from the imputation of complicity in the plot. The general nature of the plot was as follows . Sometime last winter there was a meeting of the arch conspirators and a grand coup d' etat was determined upon as follows About the middle of Feb. 1881 the treasury was to be seized and the money used to raise a grand army of men, women and children to march to Washington on March the 4th, and place Grant in the chair. The only obstacle in the way seemed to be the bad roads and deep mud at that season of the year. An agent was despatched to every town of importance in the country and his report was that there was only one place where boots and shoes could be found in sufficient quantity, and variety of a sufficiently good quality and at low enough prices, and that was at the celebrated Boot and Shoe house of L. L. Ferriss, in Decatur, Ill. So it was determined to notify everybody at once of this place that no time should be wasted in getting themselves shod with the foot gear that would please them in every way—at Ferriss' Shoe Store—one price, plain figures "
July 6-d&wtf

Bortree's Duplex Corsets.

Every corset warranted double bone, double steel, double seam, warranted not to rip. The only perfect fitting corsett in the world. It can be adjusted to fit any form instantly by means of the adjusting straps

P. S —See that the word " Bortree" appears on every box. Every corset warranted and money refunded in case it is not as represented Bortree Manuf'g Co., 338 Broadway, N. Y. For sale at the Cheap Store,
d&w1w 18 Merchant street.

A WONDERFUL DISCOVERY.

For the speedy cure of Consumption and all diseases that lead to it, such as stubborn Coughs, neglected Colds Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Asthma, pain in the side and chest, dry hacking cough, tickling in the throat, hoarseness, sore throat, and all chronic or lingering diseases of the throat and lungs, Dr King's New Discovery has no equal and has established for itself a world-wide reputation. Many leading physicians recommend and use it in their practice. The formula from which it is prepared is highly recommended by all medical journals The clergy and the press have complimented it in the most glowing terms. Go to your druggist and get a trial bottle free of cost, or a regular size for $1.00. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen, Decatur, Ill

For Bargains in Baby Carriages, go to J. M. Stookey & Co 's.
April 14-d&wtf

Millinery and Dry Goods at a great reduction of former prices, from this date. Call at once at
29-d2w Theo A Gehrmann's.

Philadelphia Lawn Mower—Best and cheapest in the world, sold by V. H. Parke. may17d2mo

THE HEAD OF A PRIZE-FIGHTER.

The "Leader of the Democrasee" and a Pen Picture of his Phiz.

When Gen. Hancock, of the Regular Army, heard of the action of the Cincinnati convention, he put on the agonizing strut of a Sir Joseph, K. C. B., and with a double twirl of his moustache, commenced to sing:

"In the Union war I fought so well
That my name is greeted with "the rebel yell."
Of a "man on horseback" they had such fear
That they nominated me—which is rather queer,
'Twas a right about face to nominate me,
And now I am the leader of the Democrasee."

And then the Cleveland *Plaindealer*, an old-time Democratic organ, at once printed a large, well-executed portrait head of General Hancock, supporting him for the Presidency. The Chicago *Tribune* comments on the fact as follows

If the *Plaindealer* would keep that head in its columns until the day of election, it would be a standing argument why he should never be elected to the Presidency, and would be as good an argument for General Garfield as the Republicans could wish. The Almighty has stamped upon his face every reason why he should not be the President of this country. It is the head of a prize-fighter, and not a thinking fighter at that, but of one who would fight well under orders from his superiors who were able to think and plan It is the head of a fighter who is not a strategist or the planner of campaigns, but of a man who would bravely execute orders from some such a General as Grant or Sherman. It has all the fullness and the general characteristics of the bulldog, the least intelligent of the canine race The forehead is "villainously low," and the whole upper head narrow and pointed, while the lower face is all jowl, indicating the animal instincts There is not a feature in the picture that indicates intellectual strength or executive ability or thoughtfulness. The physiologist or phrenologist would pronounce against it for a Presidential head at sight In nearly every particular it resembles the late Jim Fiske, who would hardly have been regarded as the proper type of man for President. Compare it with the splendid head and massive brow of Gen Garfield, full of suggestions of intellect, thought and scholarship, and see the difference between a man of mere force and a man of brains Republicans could hardly do better than to hang the two pictures side by side and let the people see them and decide. They tell the story

True enough, but the aristocratic Hancock keeps on strutting and singing

"Now Americans all, whoever you may be,
I'll give you a bit of stratagee:
Never go to any but a military school,
And be careful to be guided by this Democratic rule—
Keep away from the polls, and let politics be,
And you all may be leaders of the Democrasee."

PERSONAL POINTS.

Hon. Edward Lynch, of Lincoln, is a guest at the St. Nicholas.

George Phil. Zeiss, one of the leading Mt Pulaski merchants, is in the city to-day.

W C Johns, Esq , has gone to New York and Philadelphia on business, and will be absent until July 24th.

We are pleased to learn that Rev. W H Batson and family are recovering from their recent illness

John G. Imboden, the junior member of Imboden Brothers' meat market firm, is home from a visit to his brother Adam, at Kansas City, Mo

Enumerator George Connard writes us that the official census of Wheatland township is 1187.

Otto E Curtis, the jeweler, departed for New York last night, and will be absent about 20 days, combining business with pleasure.

Henry A. Garfield, one of the General's sons, took the prize for English declamation at St. Paul's school, at Concord, New Hampshire, last week.

W F Neiderriter and wife returned home from Paducah, Ky , this morning Their visit has been a very sad one, as they lost both of their children by death from fever while at Paducah.

Mrs Freely B. Caldwell is home from St. Louis on a two months' visit, while her husband is traveling through Texas and other Southern States in the interest of the Indianapolis & St. Louis Railway Company.

Matthew Ruby, of Macon, was in the city to-day. He says the 4th demonstration at his town on Saturday was of the usual magnitude, and that Rev. Cecil, Rev. May and Rev. Kendrick were the orators of the day.

Gen. Walker, the United States superintendent of the census, estimates that the entire population of the United States will be in the neighborhood of 48,000,000 This would be an increase of about 10,000,000 since 1870.

Charles Allen, aged about 25 years, son of D S Allen, is quite low with consumption at his home near Harristown, and is not expected to live much longer Mrs J M. Gregory was called home from Chicago on account of the illness of her brother Mr D. S Allen is also quite ill

Laces.

We have in stock at least 200 full pieces of Laces, besides those on sale in the retail department, and in view of this fact we offer the better grades of Bretonne, Languedoc and other superior Laces, at 5c less per yard than they are marked, and they were originally marked *very low* Our stock comprises a variety of cheap, medium and fine laces, second to none in the state. Come in and look at and price them. Cheap Store
July 5-d&w1w

We Give Away

Any one article off our nickel counter to every purchaser of 50 cents' worth or over, and

GIVE AWAY

any one article off our 10c cent counter to every purchaser of a dollar's worth or over. Cheap Store,
June 24-d&wtf 18 Merchant st

Fact, Milam's new process bread has no superior 24-dtf

An entire new stock of brackets, wall papers, towel racks, &c , &c , at J T Hand & Co 's
21 dtf

Flags, fire crackers, toys, pistols, &c , &c., at J. T Hand & Co 's
21-dtf

Great CLEARANCE SALE of Dry Goods will COMMENCE TO-DAY, the object of which is to reduce stock preparatory to moving into our New Store.

EVERYTHING, except a few Staple Articles, will be reduced to such extent as to render our sale worthy the attention of everybody who wishes to buy the most and best goods for the least money.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

June 26, 1880.

WE would like to keep in the mind of EVERY ONE the fact of our stock being SUPERIOR in both quality and quantity to any in the city. Our sales are such as to enable us to offer everything NEW as fast as it comes out and at prices lower than those whose purchases are much smaller than ours. We can always offer you a "SELECTION" in ANYTHING in our line and at prices we will guarantee cannot be beaten in Illinois.

We are the SOLE AGENTS here for the celebrated "ROCKFORD QUICK TRAIN WATCHES," the standard "GORHAM STERLING SOLID SILVERWARE," as well as the "GORHAM PLATED TABLE WARE;" also, "KING'S COMBINATION CRYSTAL" SPECTACLES.

We are always glad to show our Goods and have their quality and our prices compared to any in Decatur or anywhere. By giving us a call you will find OUR ADVERTISEMENT always true to theletter. Respectfully,

CURTIS & EWING,
JEWELERS,
17 E. MAIN ST., DECATUR, ILL.

April 3, 1880—d&wtf

KEELER'S
HAT STORE!
STRAW HATS! STRAW HATS!
LARGE STOCK!
FROM THE CHEAPEST HARVEST TO THE FINEST MANILLA AND MACKINAW.
NO. 20 EAST MAIN STREET

May 12—d&w3mos

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }
Macon County Circuit Court.

Edward P Hammond vs. Lucretia B. Durfee, Harry B Durfee, Nellie Durfee, Frank Durfee, Fred Durfee, Maud Durfee and Jasper J Peddecord and Lower Burrows, Trustees No 1102

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the May term, A D 1880, I, John A Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Friday, the 30th day of July, A D 1880,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in said county the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit The south half of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section ten (10), containing five (5) acres, be the same more or less, also the west two-thirds (⅔ds) of all that part of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of said section ten (10), containing ten (10) acres, be the same more or less, lying north of King street, in the City of Decatur Illinois all in township sixteen (16) north and range two (2) east of the 3rd P M , together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption
Decatur, Ill , July 1880

JOHN A BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill
Roby, Outten & Vail, Solicitor for Compl't
July 6—d4w

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,
CHARLES LAUX, Proprietor,
South side of the Old Square, Decatur, Illinois
Jan 1, 1880—d&w

OPERA HOUSE.

POSITIVELY ONE NIGHT ONLY.

Thursday, July 8.

THE BEST.

TONY PASTOR

And His New Company,

From Pastor's Theatre, New York City, comprising...

Tony Pastor's Specialty Troupe

And the famed ...

Go West on the ... Car

Forming the best show Mr. Pastor has ever put on the road.

An Entertainment for Ladies and Amusement for Families.

Surpassing in attraction all former...

Particulars and list of artists on programmes and posters.

Reserved seats ... Curtis & Ewing's ...

Prices as usual.

WABASH St. LOUIS & PACIFIC RY.

The Great Through Car Route to

Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa.

NO CHANGE OF CARS FROM TOLEDO or Ft. WAYNE to St. Louis, Kansas City, Hannibal, St. Joseph, Quincy and Atchison.

NO CHANGE OF CARS FROM ST. LOUIS to Kansas City, St. Joseph, Omaha and Ottumwa.

Remember that the

WABASH, ST. LOUIS & PACIFIC

[illegible] here. Everybody rides in Elegant Parlor Coaches, nicely upholstered and [illegible] through to destination.

☞ Don't forget the above inducements, given only by this great line, and when you go

West, Southwest, North or Northwest,

Don't accept any ticket UNLESS IT READS OVER THE

WABASH, ST. LOUIS & PACIFIC RY.

Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

Main Line.

GOING WEST.

No. 1 Through Express	7:00 a. m
" 3 Fast Line	4 35 a. m
" 5 Fast Mail	6.05 p. m

GOING EAST.

No. 2 Lightning Express	10:45 p. m
" 4 Atlantic Express	11 50 a. m
" 6 Accommodation	7 00 p. m

☞ The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East	9.45 a. m
Going West	1:15 p. m

St. Louis Division.

DEPART.

No. 41 Through Express	6 30 a. m
" 43 Fast Line	4 40 a. m
" 45 Fast Mail	3.55 p. m
Freight	7.00 a. m.

ARRIVE.

No. 42 Lightning Express	10 25 p. m
" 44 Atlantic Express	11 40 a. m
" 46 Accommodation	9:15 p. m
" 54 Passenger Freight	5 40 a. m

☞ For Routes, Rates, Elegant Maps of the Western Country, and any information you may desire in regard to going West, please address

J. C. GAULT, Gen. Manager, M C TOWNSEND, Gen. Pass Agent, ST. LOUIS

[illegible] Harwood, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

FOR THE NORTH & NORTHWEST.

PEORIA, LINCOLN & DECATUR RAILROAD.

Take this Line for

Burlington, Council Bluffs, [illegible] Galesburg, Davenport, Rock Island, LaSalle, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis, and all points North and Northwest. Connections made at Peoria in Union Depot, for all points in Iowa, Dakota, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

[illegible] Tickets and further information [illegible] to

K. HARWOOD, Agent, Union Depot, Decatur, Ill.

TIME-TABLE.

DECATUR AND PEORIA SHORT LINE

Leave No. 2.	Leave No. 1	1879. Sept. 15.	St Louis Mail & Express Arrive No. 2.	Eastern & South. Express Arrive No. 4
7.00 am	4.10 pm	Decatur,	3.38 pm	10.00 pm
8 17 "	5.02 "	Mt Pulaski	2.47 "	8.35 "
8.52 "	5.36 "	Lincoln	2.21 "	7.52 "
[illegible]	[illegible]	Delavan	1.41 "	6.50 "
10.35 "	[illegible]	Pekin	1.10 "	6.45 "
11.30 "	7.20 "	Peoria	12.30 "	5.00 "

Freight leaves at 1.30 p. m.

G. R. COBLEIGH, Gen'l Manager, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.

L. M. BUFERT, Chief Ticket Clerk, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.

November 25, 1878.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Monday, June 16th, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

GOING SOUTHEAST.

Indianapolis Passenger	8.00 a. m.
Mail and Express	4.20 p. m.
Local Freight	8 10 a. m.

GOING NORTHWEST.

[illegible] Express	11.57 a. m.
[illegible] Merrill's	9.00 p. m
[illegible]	7.50 a. m.

Passengers leaving Decatur at 8 o'clock a. m. arrive at Indianapolis at 3 45 p m

N. E ADAMS, Agent.

Indianapolis, Decatur and Springfield RAILWAY COMPANY.

Take this for the East and all points North and South on the Chicago & Paducah Railway, Illinois Central (Chicago Division), Paris and Danville Railway, E, T. H & C. R'y, and I. C. & S. R'y Close connections being made at all Junction Stations, and through tickets on sale at the ticket office, Decatur, Ill.

CONDENSED TIME-CARD.

LEAVE DECATUR GOING EAST.

Through Express	11 15 a. m
Night Express, daily	10 40 p. m
Freight and Accommodation	2 30 p. m

LEAVE INDIANAPOLIS.

Day Express	2 35 p m
Night Express, daily	4 35 a m
Freight and Accommodation	9 00 a m

H. A. MOORE, General Supt.
GEO. A. SANDERSON, Gen'l Freight Agent
S. F. BOYD, Gen'l Ticket Agent
W. J. MUSGLE, Western Pass. Agent.
General Office, Indianapolis, Ind
GEO. E. LARY Agent, Decatur, Ill.

Champaign, Havana & Western Railway.

	GOING WEST.		GOING EAST.	
Urbana	7 20 am	8 00 am	5 50 pm	6 20pm
Champaign	8 00	8 20	5 35	6 10
Staley's	8 [illegible]	8 35	5 17	5 57
Bondville	8 40	8 50	5 00	5 45
Seymour	8 55	9 05	4 45	5 35
White Heath	9 25	9 25	4 25	5 20
[illegible]	—	9 30	[illegible]	--
[illegible]	—	9 55	[illegible]	--
[illegible]	—	10 20	[illegible]	--
Cisco	—	10 30	4 10	--
Argenta	—	10 55	3 45	--
Oreana	—	11 15	3 20	--
Decatur, Ar.	—	11 40	3 00	LV.
Wyne Heath	9 25 am	7 17 am	4 25 pm	6 05pm
[illegible]	10 10	7 26	3 40	5 47
Weldon	10 45	7 48	3 20	5 20
[illegible]	—	8 13	2 55	4 50
[illegible]	—	9 12	1 50 am	4 10
Mason City	—	10 02	10 00	3 25
Havana	—	10 50	8 00	2 30

[illegible] A. H. WOOD, Gen'l Sup't.
[illegible] General Freight and Ticket Agent, Urbana, Ill.

For through tickets and further information, address W. S. MARSHALL, Agent, Decatur, Ill.

Miss Dupont's Reliable Patterns; the instructive "What to Wear," 15 cts, Portfolios, 15 cents, just received by Linn & Scruggs. [marl6d&wtf

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Jan. 21, 1878.

Until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING NORTH.

Passenger	6.45 a m
Accommodation	3 40 p m
Freight	4 30 "

GOING SOUTH.

Accommodation	10:05 a m
Passenger	5 25 p m
Freight	9.20 a m

E. F. JEFFERY, Sup't, Chicago.
J. F. TUCKER, Master Transportation, Chicago.
C. O. JUDSON, Agent, Decatur.

PLUMBING!

Gas and Steam Fitting,

And Repairing of

Engines & Machinery

OF ALL KINDS.

Having recently added some of the best and most improved machinery to our shop, we claim to have the best facilities for doing work in our line in Central Illinois. Call and get estimates before going elsewhere.

ALL WORK WARRANTED TO GIVE SATISFACTION.

H. MUELLER & CO.,

Cor. E. Main and State Sts,

Decatur, Illinois.

July 3, 1879—d1y

E. S. AUNGST & CO.

UNDERTAKERS

And Dealers in all kinds of

COFFINS

Metallic Burial Cases and Caskets,

Southwest Corner Old Square,

DECATUR, ILLS.

Residence, No. 18 West William street.
June 4-d&wtf

In the District Court of the United States, for the Southern District of Illinois

In Bankruptcy-No. 2160

In the matter of Christian M. Dillinger and Aaron J. Dillinger, Bankrupts,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition has been filed in said Court by said Christian M. Dillinger and Aaron J Dillinger, of Warrensburg, in the County of Macon, in said District, duly declared Bankrupts, under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, and the amendments thereto, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all their debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the

13th DAY OF JULY, A. D 1880,

at 11 o'clock a. m., is assigned for the hearing of the same by the said Court, at the United States Court Room in the City of Springfield, when and where all creditors of said Bankrupts, and all persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted

M. B CONVERSE, Clerk.
HARVEY PASCO, Att'y for Petitioners
Dated at Springfield, June 11, 1880
12-d4w

JOHN CLARK, Jr. & CO'S

CLARK'S TRADE MILE-END MARK SPOOL COTTON

BEST SIX-CORD!

—FOR—

Machine or Hand Use.

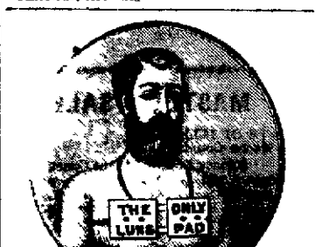
THOMAS RUSSELL & CO.,

SOLE AGENTS:

—FOR SALE BY—

Linn & Scruggs.

March25, 1880—d1y



ABSOLUTELY CURES Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, and all diseases of the Throat, Lungs and Chest.

For sale by all Druggists or by mail on receipt of price, $1, by THE ONLY LUNG PAD CO., Detroit, Mich.

For sale in Decatur by Hubbard & Swearingen and A. J Stoner.

April22—d3m&eod&w

WANTED—

500 OLD STOVES,

For which full value will be given in cash or trade at

LIDDLE'S,

Court House Block.

April 5—d&wtf

THE largest stock of chromos ever shown in Decatur, at J. T. HAND & Co.'s, 21 dtf

INVALIDS

AND OTHERS SEEKING

HEALTH,

STRENGTH AND ENERGY,

WITHOUT THE USE OF DRUGS, ARE REQUESTED TO SEND FOR THE ELECTRIC REVIEW, AN ILLUSTRATED JOURNAL, WHICH IS PUBLISHED FOR FREE DISTRIBUTION.

IT TREATS upon HEALTH, HYGIENE, and Physical Culture, and is a complete encyclopedia of information for invalids and those who suffer from Nervous, Exhausting and Painful Diseases. Every subject that bears upon health and human happiness receives attention in its pages, and the many questions asked by suffering invalids, who have disparaged of cure, are answered, and valuable information is imparted to all who are in need of medical advice.

The subjects of Electric Belts versus Medicine, and the Impaired and one question of vital importance to suffering humanity, are duly considered and explained.

YOUNG MEN

And others who suffer from Nervous and Physical Debility, Loss of Manly Vigor, Premature Exhaustion and the many gloomy consequences of early indiscretion, etc., are especially benefited by consulting its contents.

This ELECTRIC REVIEW exposes the unmitigated frauds practiced by quacks and medical impostors who profess to "practice medicine," and points out the only safe, simple, and effective road to Health, Vigor and Bodily Energy.

Send your address on postal card for a copy, and information worth thousands will be sent you.

Address, the publishers,

PULVERMACHER GALVANIC CO.,

COR. EIGHTH & VINE STREETS, CINCINNATI, O.

BEST IS CHEAPEST!

LEWIS' CONDENSED BAKING POWDER

STRICTLY PURE!

We will give $1000.00 for any Alum or other adulteration found in this POWDER.

Indorsed by the Brooklyn Board of Health, and by the best chemists in the United States.

It is STRONGER than any Yeast Powder in the world.

It NEVER FAILS to make light bread when used as directed.

It is COMMENDED by every housekeeper who has given it a fair trial.

It is an entirely NEW INVENTION, without any of the bad qualities of soda or saleratus, yeast or other baking powders.

It has in itself a tendency to sustain and nourish the system.

Good food makes good health; and health is improved or impaired in proportion as the food we eat is nutritious or otherwise.

LEWIS' BAKING POWDER always makes good food.

One can of this is worth two of any other baking compound

It makes bread whiter and richer.

More than half the complaints of bad flour arise from the use of common baking powders, which often make the best of flour turn out dark bread.

The most delicate persons can eat food prepared with it without injury.

Nearly every other baking powder is adulterated and is absolutely injurious.

This is made from Refined Grape Cream of Tartar, and is PERFECTLY PURE.

It makes the BEST, lightest, and most nutritious

BREAD, BISCUIT, CAKE, CRULLERS, BUCKWHEAT, INDIAN, AND FLANNEL CAKES.

A single trial will prove the superiority of this Powder.

MANUFACTURED ONLY BY

GEO. T. LEWIS & MENZIES CO.

PHILADELPHIA.

For Sale by

F. SKELLEY & CO.,

Dealers in Staple and Fancy Groceries.

ICE! ICE! ICE!!

LEAVE ORDERS FOR

D. A. MAFFIT'S

PURE AND THICK

CRYSTAL ICE!

Cut in 1878, at

S. T. KEELER'S HAT STORE, No. 20 East Main Street.

Mr. Maffit has an abundant supply of '78 ice, large and thick chunks, which he will deliver at public places or at residences every day at the lowest ruling prices.

May 5—dtf

CONSTITUTION WATER

40 DROPS OF CONSTITUTION WATER THREE TIMES A DAY,

CURES BRIGHT'S DISEASE, INFLAMMATION OF THE KIDNEYS, STONE IN THE BLADDER, CATARRH OF THE BLADDER, GLEET, DIABETES, GRAVEL, BRICK DUST DEPOSIT, CHILDHOOD WEAKNESS

For Female Complaints a Specialty.

For sale by all Druggists. Send for Circular

MORGAN & ALLEN, 59 John Street, New York.

Nov. 27—d&weow6mo

In the District Court of the United States, for the Southern District of Illinois.

In Bankruptcy-No. 2106

In the matter of David P. Elwood and Daniel H. Elwood, Bankrupts,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition has been filed in said Court by said David P. Elwood and Daniel H. Elwood, late of Decatur, in the County of Macon, in said District, duly declared Bankrupts, under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, and the amendments thereto, for a discharge and certificate thereof, from all their debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the

21st DAY OF JULY, A. D. 1880,

at 11 o'clock a. m., is assigned for the hearing of the same by the said Court, at the United States Court Room in the City of Springfield, when and where all creditors of said Bankrupts, and all other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

M. B CONVERSE, Clerk.
CREA & EWING, Att'y's for Petitioners,
Dated at Springfield, June 16th, A. D 1880
June17-d4w

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

United States District Court—Southern District of Illinois

In the matter of SAMUEL M ANTHONY, bankrupt—In Bankruptcy.

YOU are hereby notified that a second and third general meetings of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held at Decatur, in said district, on the 6th day of July, A. D 1880, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the office of James C. Lake, one of the registers in bankruptcy in said district, for the purposes named in sections 5,082 and 5,093 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, and at that time and place I will render my final account as assignee of said bankrupt and apply for my discharge as assignee.

ISAAC W. EHRMAN, Assignee.

June 17, 1880—d2w

$72 A WEEK. $12 a day at home easily made. Costly outfit free. Address TRUE & Co. Augusta, Maine, Novll-d&w1y

Self Help.

Fight your own battles, asking favors of no one, and you will succeed far better than those who are ever turning, first this way and then that, for a little help. No one can ever help you as you can help yourself, for no one will have the interest in your affairs that you, of course feel. The man who pushes on through thick and thin with unflagging purpose and indomitable courage, in nine cases out of ten, makes a name and place for himself which people honor and admire. The old motto, "There is no such word as fail," should be impressed upon the young. Life's ways are rugged and full of thorns, and it is only the brave in heart who can hope to battle a way to fame and fortune. He who waits for others to push him will find himself passed on the road by those who push themselves. People who have been bolstered up all their lives are like reeds in an emergency. No one can lean upon them, and if they cannot find a prop for themselves down they go, and cannot help themselves up again, but must wait for some friendly hand to raise them. These "boosted" people never accomplish anything in the world. They are not trusted because they do not trust themselves. It is of little consequence to the world if they sink or swim, and even a man's best friends grow tired of helping him over obstacles he ought to surmount alone. The man who learns to conquer circumstances is independent of fortune and will receive more smiles than frowns from the fickle goddess.

The ambitious and industrious man has little patience with, or regard for, the man content to remain at the bottom of the ladder all his life. The man who keeps his wagon wheel in the rut all the way to town simply because it is too much trouble to get it out, is apt to accomplish as little good to mankind as the one who expects to be "boosted" along through life. Both belong to the same family, and merit pity more than reproach.

BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Tetter, Chapped hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all kinds of skin eruptions. This Salve is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box.

Laces.

We have just received an additional lot of laces, and as we bought a large job lot of these goods at greatly reduced prices, we offer special inducements in this department. CHEAP STORE.

29-d&w1w

Fashionable Harness.

The old reliable house of J. C. Starr & Son have now in stock one of the largest and most complete stocks of single and double harness in Illinois, of great variety and all the very latest styles, handsomely ornamented with oriental and nickel wire ball trimmings. Parties will save from 10 to 20 per cent. by purchasing harness of this house. ap27dtf

THE largest stock of Parlor Suits ever shown in Decatur are now in the show room at Ashby & Andress'. If you don't need one, call and see them It will do you good to look at them.

June 5-dtf

WE WANT your custom, and think we can offer you inducements if you will come and see us, which will be sufficient to satisfy you that our store is the best place in town to trade Bargains are to be had every day this spring.

d&wtf BARBER & BAKER

100,000 Bushels of Corn Wanted by Linn & Scruggs, for which they will pay two cents a bushel more than the highest market price in merchandise, the corn to be delivered at D. S Shellabarger & Co.'s mill. [Nov. 18—d&wtf

PHYSICIANS' prescriptions carefully compounded at all hours, day or night, at the Morgan street Drug store.

june8-dtf

SOFT NUT COAL an dry stove wood a McClelland's coal yard.

May 17-dtf

PURE drugs, medicines, paints, oils, etc., at bottom prices at the Morgan street Drug Store. june8 dtf

Very Cheap.

200 dozen workingmen's mixed socks at 10 cents a pair. LINN & SCRUGGS.

April 7—dtf

Mrs. Grindol, at her boarding house No. 11 West Main street, can furnish boarding and rooms by the day or week for a few more boarders; fare good, and price very reasonable.

March 5—dtf

If you want the best and cheapest hosiery and gloves, go to

may10 d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

LACE TIES and Fichus, in new designs, just received by Linn & Scruggs.

21 d&wtf

Go to Dr. A. J. Stoner, south side City Park, for Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes. For brightness and durability of color they are unequalled—Color 2 to 5 lbs., price 15 cents.

Feb. 28—dtf

If you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at SHELLABARGER'S.

Dec. 13—1&wtf

LADIES' night dresses, chemises, drawers and skirts, at *very low prices.*

June 27-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

OUR spring stock was never excelled either in quantity, quality or price, and we invite your patronage on the basis of the best goods for the least money. Come and see us if you want your shoes to fit.

27-d&wtf BARBER & BAKER.

BRACKETS, wall pockets, towel racks, &c., new stock, at J. T. Hand & Co.'s

21-dtf

MONEY TO LOAN at 8 per cent. on farms Notes payable at Decatur.

Oct. 31—d&wtf J. M. CLOKEY.

45 Years before the Public.

THE GENUINE DR. C. McLANE'S LIVER PILLS

are not recommended as a remedy "for all the ills that flesh is heir to," but in affections of the Liver, and in all Bilious Complaints, Dyspepsia, and Sick Headache, or diseases of that character, they stand without a rival.

AGUE AND FEVER.

No better cathartic can be used preparatory to, or after taking quinine. As a simple purgative they are unequaled.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.

The genuine are never sugar-coated

Each box has a red-wax seal on the lid, with the impression, McLANE'S LIVER PILL Each wrapper bears the signatures of C. McLANE and FLEMING BROS

☞ Insist upon having the genuine DR C. McLANE'S LIVER PILLS, prepared by

FLEMING BROS., Pittsburgh, Pa., the market being full of imitations of the name *McLane,* spelled differently but same pronunciation.

BOWEL COMPLAINTS.

A Speedy and Effectual Cure.

PERRY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER

Has stood the test of FORTY YEARS' trial.

Directions with each bottle.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

WANTED LOCAL AGENTS everywhere to sell Tea, Coffee, Baking Powder, Flavoring Extracts, etc by sample, to families Profits good Outfit free. People's Tea Co., Box 6020, St. Louis, Mo.

July 2—d&wtf

CALVIN BOAKE, formerly with D. F Hamsher, has opened a Wagon and Repair Shop on Jackson street, between William and Prairie, and is prepared to manufacture farm and spring wagons on short notice, in the very best workmanlike manner, at reasonable terms. Also, painting and striping, general repair work, etc. Give him a call

June 15 d&w1m*

The Comfort Patent Corset—Bortree's Adjustable, Foy's Supporter, Moody's Abdominal, Glove Fitting, Hundred Bones, together with the best and cheapest French Corsets in the city, at

Jan28-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS'

For Sale.

A No 1 spring wagon, or will trade for a good buggy horse. Call at

BARNES & BROS.' Restaurant

26 d6tw2

NEW and handsome Ingrain and Brussels Carpets, just received by Linn & Scruggs. d&wtf

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour ever sold here.

Dec. 18-d&wtf

FIFTY feet three-ply Standard Hydrant Hose, Hose Nozzle and Coupling, complete, for $7 50, at

H. MUELLER & Co.'s,

May 8—d3mo East Main street

THE best double lounge in the market s now on sale at P. B. Provost & Son's furniture store. dtf.

REMEMBER that the best assortment of sheet music is at

21-dtf J. T. HAND & Co 's.

Made to Order.

The celebrated Wilson Bros' Shirts m de to order and in stock, at

tf B. STINE'S, the Boss Clothier.

CHILDREN s games and blocks, in almost endless variety, at J. M. Stookey & Co.'s 17 d&wtf

MORE $1 25 Chromos, and a great variety of other Pictures and Picture frames, at J. M. STOOKEY & Co 's.

April 14—d&wtf

Homeopathic Remedies

And McCormack Bros.' Family Guide Chart, for sale at Dr. A J Stoner's drug store, Decatur, Ill. [Nov 7-d&wly

HOSE REEL with 50 feet three ply Standard Hydrant Hose, Hose Nozzle and Coupling, complete, for $10.00, at

H MUELLER & Co.'s,

May 8—d3mo East Main street.

MRS. WOOD PEDDECORD has removed her dress making rooms from on Merchant street to more commodious and comfortable apartments on the second floor, opposite Curtis & Ewing's jewelry store, formerly occupied by Mrs. S. A. Jones Mrs Peddecord's patrons and friends will please make a note of this fact.

May 22—d2m

No Goods Exchanged.

We do not find any one who is willing to buy goods of us that are not perfect, and in good order. And as in many cases there appears to be a difference of opinion as to whether goods are damaged or not, we cannot exchange goods when sold, when the mistake is with the purchaser. LINN & SCRUGGS.

June9'80-dtf

BRACKETS! brackets! brackets!! the only stock in the city, and every one of them new and fresh, at

21-dtf J. T. HAND & Co 's.

WE will frame pictures 30 per cent cheaper than any other house in Decatur

21-dtf J. T. HAND & Co

WE keep everything in our line, low shoes, high shoes, big shoes, little shoes, broad shoes, narrow shoes, fine shoes or coarse shoes, and if you want any other kind of a shoe we will order it for you. We aim to please. Call and see us.

d&wtf BARBER & BAKER

TRY the Leon Isaac's Steel Pen, every one perfect. Sold only by J. M. Stookey & Co. [Apr 14-d&wtf

WE have the largest and best assortment of embossed pictures in Decatur—J T Hand & Co. 21-dtf

THE Centennial Refrigerator for sale at Ashby & Andress'. Call and see it

June 5—dtf

A SPLENDID assortment of Camp Chairs, of late patterns, at Ashby & Andress'.

June 5—dtf

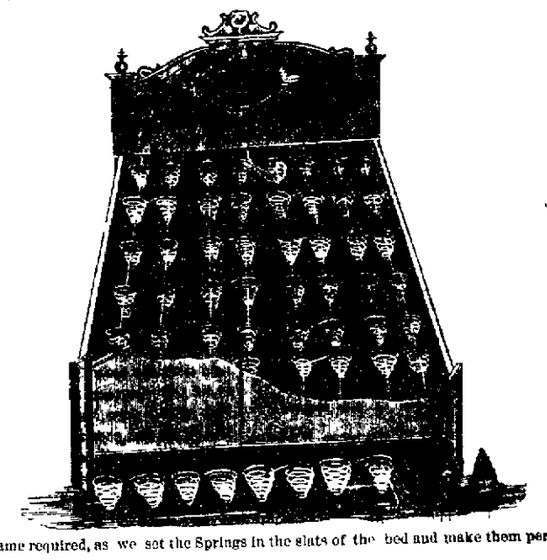
Ice!

Leave orders for Maffit's crystal ice at S. T. Keeler's Hat Store, No. 20 East Main street, May 3-dtf

D. H. GAIL'S

SELF-ADJUSTING SPRING BED!

THE BEST BED IN THE MARKET.



TRY IT AND BE CONVINCED.

No frame required, as we set the Springs in the slats of the bed and make them perfectly secure.

We adjust them to fit any size bed.
Most convenient, cleanly, and durable.
Made of the best Spring Steel Wire, finely coppered.
They are easily moved, as each slat can be lifted out separately
They are not linked together across the bed.
Each side of the bed acts independently, thus preventing any "sagging" to each side.
We propose to have them thoroughly tested. Will call at your residence and leave on trial.
We guarantee satisfaction or no sale.

W. H. BIXBY, Gen'l Agent.

☞ We would caution all persons against buying any Spring Bed that in any way infringes on ours, as we intend to protect ourselves.

Leave orders at R. LIDDLE'S, Court House Block.

April 10, 1880—d&wtf

WARREN & DURFEE

REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE, Abstracts of Title

FOR VALUABLE

CITY LOTS!

That offer a Good Investment if purchased

AT PRESENT PRICES,

— Apply to —

Warren & Durfee.

Feb. 21. 1880—d&wtg

New York, New England and Western

INVESTMENT COMPANY,

31 & 33 Pine st., New York, 19 Congress st., Boston, Union Building, Chicago.

CAPITAL STOCK, $200,000.

Will purchase or negotiate County, Town, City and School bonds, also Railroad and other corporate bonds.

Will act as agent for Funding the outstanding Bonds of Counties, Towns and Cities, whether in cases of Municipalities in good credit, desiring to fund into Bonds bearing a lower rate of interest, or where they are in default and litigation, and wish to procure compromises and settlements

Investment Securities bought and sold on commission.

JOHN C SHORT, President. } New York
GEO. W. DEBEVOISE, Vice Pres't }
L. L HUBBARD, Ass't Vice Pres't., Boston.
WM. P. WATSON, Sec'y and Treas., Chicago

May 4-d2m

In the District Court of the United States, for the Southern District of Illinois.

In Bankruptcy-No. 2116

In the matter of Walter R Binkley and Henry C. Binkley, Bankrupts,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition has been filed in said Court by said Walter R Binkley and Henry C. Binkley, of Warrensburg in the County of Macon, in said District, duly declared Bankrupts under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, and the amendments thereto, for a discharge and certificate thereof, from all their debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the

22d DAY OF JULY, A D 1880,

at 11 o'clock a. m., is assigned for the hearing of the same by the said Court, at the United States Court Room in the City of Springfield, when and where all creditors of said Bankrupts, and all other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

M. B. CONVERSE, Clerk
HARVEY PASCO, Att'y for Petitioners
Dated at Springfield, June 17, A. D. 1880
June18-d4w

Legal Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

In the County Court. In vacation Set for hearing July 30th, 1880.

Peoria, Decatur and Evansville Railway Company vs. William B. Tuell—Petition to condemn real estate for right-of-way.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named William B Tuell having been filed in the office of the clerk of said county court, notice is hereby given to said Tuell that said Peoria, Decatur and Evansville Railway Company has filed its petition in said county court praying the said court to cause the compensation to be paid to said Tuell on account of the taking and using by said petitioner of a strip of land fifty feet in width, being twenty-five feet on each side of the center line of the survey of the Peoria, Decatur and Evansville Railroad, as the same has been surveyed, and is now located across the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section eleven (11), in township sixteen (16) north, and range two (2) east of the 3d principal meridian, in said Macon county, to be assessed according to law. That the judge of said court has set said petition for hearing on the 30th day of July, A. D. 1880, which cause is now pending and undetermined in said court, and will be for trial at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said Macon county, on said 30th day of July, A D. 1880

H W. WAGGONER, Clerk of said Court

June 19, 1880—d4w

FOR SALE.

The following named committee of the Macon county Board of Supervisors are authorized to receive sealed bids for the purchase of the county property, familiarly known as the "Old County Jail," or "CITY CALABOOSE," located on the northwest corner of West Wood and Church streets, in the city of Decatur. The lot and building will be sold part cash, the balance to be secured by approved security. Sealed bids to be presented to the committee on July 12, 1880, at the court house. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

W. A. VANLEER,
HIRAM WARD,
A. C EDGAR,
Committee

Decatur, Ill June 1, 1880.
June 6-dtd

$5 to $20 per day at home. Samples worth $5 free Address STINSON & Co. Portland Maine. Novlld&w1y

BLENZ & DANZEISEN

BUTCHERS

—AND—

PACKERS.

—A NEW STOCK OF—

SMOKED AND CURED MEATS.

WEST SIDE OF THE OLD SQUARE

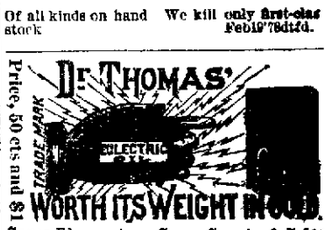
HAMS.

Hams, from 18 pounds and upwards, 11 cents; under 18 pounds, 12½ cts. Sugar-Cured Shoulders, 8 cents, Lard, 10 cts.

Breakfast Bacon, Dried Beef, Bologna and Lard at Wholesale and Retail.

FRESH MEATS

Of all kinds on hand We kill only first-class stock Feb19'78dtfd.



WORTH ITS WEIGHT IN GOLD.

Cures Rheumatism, Cures Coughs & Colds

Cures Rheumatism, Cures Coughs & Colds

Cures Sore Throat, Cures Diphteria.

CURES LAME BACK and STIFF JOINTS.
CURES LAME BACK and STIFF JOINTS.

Cures Burns, Cuts and Bruises.
Cures Burns, Cuts and Bruises.

SOLD BY

DR. A. J. STONER,

DECATUR, ILL.

FAST TRAIN EAST!

By Leaving Decatur at 8 a m. via the

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y,

Passengers arrive at Terre Haute at 12 50 p. m., connecting with the

NEW FAST TRAIN on the VANDALIA

LINE, which arrives at INDIANAPOLIS 3:30 p. m., and at NEW YORK and CITIES EAST

Two to Three Hours Sooner

than by any other line

Through tickets on sale at Union Depot and at foot of Main-st.

A E SHRADER, Traffic Manager.

June7-J&w1m

Notice in Bankruptcy—No. 1764.

In the District Court of the United States, for the Southern District of Illinois.

In the matter of Jacob H. Gross, Bankrupt.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition has been filed in said Court by said Jacob H. Gross, of Niantic, in the County of Macon, in said District, duly declared Bankrupt, under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, and the amendments thereto, for a discharge and certificate thereof, from all his debts and other claims payable under said act, and that the

13th DAY OF JULY, A. D 1880,

at 11 o'clock a. m., is assigned for the hearing of the same by the said Court, at the United States Court Room in the City of Springfield, when and where all creditors of said Bankrupt and all other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

M. B. CONVERSE, Clerk

HARVEY PASCO, Att'y for Petitioner.
Dated at Springfield, June 8th, A D, 1880.
8-d4w

New Ice Cream Parlor.

We have opened in connection with our restaurant and Ice Cream Parlor, where ladies and gentlemen will be served with ice cream, lemonade and cake, in quality and style equal to any in the city.

Parties furnished cream by the gallon at very low rates.

HOYD BROS.,
June 14—d1w South of Court House

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,

CHARLES LAUX, Proprietor,

South side of the Old Square, Decatur, Illinois.

Jan. 1, 1880—d&w